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REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

Hon. Assistant Secretary and
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371,
dated June 23, 1999, Applicants hereby submit the executed Declaration of Inventors.

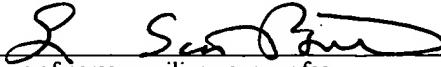
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